

Raftsmen's Journal.



S. J. ROW, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. CLEARFIELD, PA., JUNE 3, 1868.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET. FOR PRESIDENT, Gen. ULYSSES S. GRANT, FOR VICE PRESIDENT, Hon. SCHUYLER COLFAX.

'Whiskey and Lager.' The powerful influence of Democratic principles—'Whiskey and Lager' was strikingly illustrated in a recent contest for collector at Pittsburg, Illinois.

Our Candidates. The Committee of the Chicago Convention, appointed to notify Gen. Grant and Speaker Colfax of their nominations, performed that duty on Friday evening, May 29th, at the residence of the General.

The whole proceedings were highly interesting and entertaining, and passed off to the entire satisfaction of all who participated.

MODEL ADDRESS.—The address of Hon. Galusha A. Grow, Chairman of the State Central Committee, to the Republicans of Pennsylvania, which we print in to-day's paper, is an admirable document—fore and compact. It should be carefully read by Republicans everywhere, and its suggestions as to the importance of immediate and thorough organization acted upon forthwith.

Hon. E. M. Stanton is named for United States Senator in place of Mr. Buckalew, whose term expires on the 4th of March next. A good suggestion.

A letter from Fort Lyon, Colorado, says the celebrated Kit Carson died at that post on May 23d, from the effects of the rupture of an artery in the neck.

Gen. Schofield received his commission as Secretary of War on Monday, and at once entered upon the duties of the office.

Ex-President James Buchanan died at Wheatland, Lancaster county, on Monday, June 1st, in his seventy-seventh year.

Gen. Stoneman has been assigned to the department of Virginia.

Congress will adjourn about the middle of July. So it is said.

Democracy and Methodism.

The following extract is from the La Crosse Democrat, which has a larger circulation than any other Democratic paper in the United States. We comment it to our Methodist friends:

There is now in session in the city of Chicago, a nondescript, black-and-tan, rump Radical, politico religious mob, known as the Quadrennial Conference of the Methodist Church. It is convened nominally in the interest of the Methodist denomination, but really in the interests of the mongrel party, and with an eye to the interests of Grant, who is a candidate of the Methodists.

Some months ago the Pittsburg Post, one of the most respectable of the Democratic papers of Pennsylvania, contained a leader under the caption of: 'The Duty of the Democratic Party in a Certain Event,' from which we excerpt the salient paragraphs without any further comment.

Suppose that, contrary to the wish of some of the leading Radical Black Republicans, who want the office themselves, Gen. Grant should be nominated for the Presidency by the Republican party, what course ought the Democratic party to pursue? Ought we to nominate a man in opposition to General Grant? Ought we to charge him with being an enemy to his country, or in favor of unjust measures, merely because he may have received said nomination? . . .

President Johnson, now an unwilling witness, in his message to Congress last December, says of Gen. Grant's administration of the War Department: 'Salutary reforms have been introduced by the Secretary ad interim, and great reductions of expenses have been effected under his administration of the War Department, to the saving of millions to the Treasury.'

SHOTS FROM BEHIND.—The New York Tribune closes a severe article on the recent Senators with the square shot: 'The Republican party protests against these shots from behind. True, it lost its beloved President by such a one; but Wilkes Booth never pretended to be a Republican as his present assailants have done. If there be more traitors nesting in its bosom, is it too much to ask them to come to the light?'

Woolley, the witness who refused to answer the questions of the House Committee relative to alleged frauds in obtaining a verdict of acquittal on impeachment, is still in custody for contempt.

A vein of lead ore has been struck in Venango county which, it is said, yields sixty-eight per cent. of lead and eighteen per cent. of silver.

Four and a quarter millions of specie went to Europe last week, and the flow is not expected to decrease for some time.

A Little of Everything.

Professor Longfellow has gone to Europe. Jeff. Davis' trial is to be again postponed. Let us have a FULL County Convention on court week.

L. W. Weld, Esq., has quit the mercantile business at Utahville. Clement C. Clay, the noted rebel, is practicing law in Nashville.

The jewelry and spectacle man was in town last week, as usual. Thaddeus Stevens calls Andrew Johnson the 'offspring of assassination.'

A quarry of beautiful variegated marble has been discovered in Berks county. Gen. Schofield was confirmed, by the Senate, as Secretary of War, on Friday last.

The Sherman House, at Chicago, fed 2400 persons per day during the convention. Thomas Jefferson, the most popular of American Presidents, never made a speech.

Grimes was burned in effigy at West Liberty, Wisconsin, on Tuesday, the 26th inst. It is reported that Secretary Seward has tendered his resignation to the President.

Ex-Gov. Levi Lincoln, of Massachusetts, died on Friday last, in the eighty-sixth year of his age. A shaft is being sunk on the farm of John Pope, East Bradford, Chester county, in search of gold.

Boydton & Young's Machine Shop will soon be ready for business. The work on it is progressing rapidly. It is 'time to work.' Every man who wants to see Grant and Colfax elected should prepare for action.

The Cambria Iron Company has purchased the Bennington Furnace property, in Blair county, for \$70,000. There was a grand 'spree' in the White House over the final vote on Impeachment. Andy was 'gel-olous.'

The New Orleans Picayune editorially advocates a general amnesty proclamation by President Johnson. The lumbermen and lumber-merchants have nearly all got back. A good deal of timber was sold on 'slow notes.'

There was a circus at Phillipsburg on Saturday. The Clearfield fools were represented by a 'respectable' delegation. A gentleman was robbed on the cars, between Philadelphia and New York, last Wednesday night, of \$20,000 in U. S. Bonds.

Three hundred Zouaves, with a priest in attendance, started from St. John's, Canada, for Rome, via New York, on Thursday last. Another Fenian excitement has been gotten up in Canada, and the troops at St. John's are held in readiness for active operations.

Secretary Stanton is spoken of, in Allegheny county, as a candidate for Congress. We sincerely hope he will be nominated and elected. The town of Reno, on the Central Pacific Railroad, laid out on the 1st of May, now contains one hundred houses and five hundred people.

The Commissioners of Indiana county have adopted a plan for a new Court House, which will be put under contract in a short time. Senator Ross is known in Washington by the sobriquet of the 'Artful Dodger.' The character in 'Oliver Twist' is disgraced by the comparison.

Government of North Germany has abolished imprisonment for debt. Progress and Liberty are contagious. Europe is learning rapidly from our example. Impeachment being dead and buried, Congress need not trouble itself about an epitaph, but should go to work at once and finish up the neglected public business.

The Copperhead papers complain of Grant's writing. Three years ago they complained of his fighting. They are never satisfied with a man who was true to the Union. On the announcement of the adjournment of the Court of Impeachment, and the acquittal of Johnson, Hon. E. M. Stanton informed the President that the War Office was at his disposal.

The School Board of Lock Haven has contracted for the erection of a large and suitable building for the public schools in that borough. Why can't we have a good public school building in Clearfield? The New York Herald says: 'The rail-splitter and the tailor were a strong team, but the tanner and editor will match them.' Bennett already snuffs a Republican victory in the far off November air.

Just before the vote on Impeachment was taken, the brother of Senator Ross received \$70,000 from the Treasury Department for imaginary services in Florida, which abundantly accounts for the milk in that accountant. Woolley, the contumacious witness, is a thorn in Democratic flesh at Washington. If he is compelled to tell what he did with all the money he handled, there will be a tremendous flutter among the Copperhead thieves.

The Reformed Presbyterian Synod, in session at Pittsburg, is in trouble about 'a girl with teeth of pearl, and shoulders white as snow.' The Reverend gentlemen are making themselves rather ridiculous over the hymn question. The dissolution of the political firm of Chase & Greely has been announced, owing to the unendurable disgust of the junior partner. The business will be continued, however, under the title of Chase & Johnson, office at the White House.

The ancient church of Mouron, Russia, recently fell down, the altar alone remaining intact. No person was injured. This church was erected in 1552, by John Wasselewitch the Terrible, on the fortunate issue of his campaign against Kazan. There was an Irish fight at Stines corner on Saturday evening. It was a 'neat' affair, of the M'Coolle and Coburn order, as far as it went, but was brought to a sudden termination by the interference of the Constable. It was caused by 'gel-olous' whiskey.

The road between this place and Curwensville is in a horrible condition. The citizens of both towns are deeply interested in having it repaired at once. If we desire to keep Clearfield the terminus of the railroad, we should have as many and as good roads to it as possible. The prize fight between M'Coolle and Coburn, was suddenly terminated on the battle ground, on Wednesday last, by the arrest of both the ruffians. They were tried and sentenced to forty days imprisonment in the Dearborn county, Indiana, jail. It is a pity they cannot be kept in confinement much longer.

THE CAMPAIGN.

Address From the State Central Committee. PHILADELPHIA, May 27, 1868.

To the Voters of Pennsylvania: The National Convention of the Republican party, with a unanimity and enthusiasm unprecedented, has nominated candidates for President and Vice President and announced the principles upon which they appeal to the people for support. As to the individuals selected no word of commendation is necessary. Their deeds form a part of the history of the country.

No matter who the candidates in opposition may be, they must represent an organization that was unfaithful to the country in the hour of its direst peril and false to liberty and the rights of man.

For four years the Republic shook with the tread of armed men in a struggle to determine whether the will of the majority constitutionally expressed should be the law of the land till changed in the mode prescribed by the original law. In that struggle three thousand millions of treasure were wasted—three hundred thousand hero martyrs found in our ransomed soil their graves, and sorrow sits to day at almost every fireside, mourning for the unreturning brave.

This waste of treasure and legacy of woe was caused by the minority, in a fair election, refusing to submit to the will of the majority constitutionally expressed. Suspended on the issue hung the life of the Republic and the hopes of mankind.

The only political organization to give aid, sympathy, and encouragement to that minority in its attempt to dismember the Republic and thus destroy our liberties, was the party calling itself Democratic. At its last National Convention, while half a million of men were in arms for the overthrow of the Government, it declared the war for the Union a failure, and demanded an immediate cessation of hostilities.

'We were asked to spike our guns when the foe was at bay. And the flag of his black banner was dropping away. To take down the proud name our nation had won, And strike her brave bird from her home in the sun.'

He who the policy of the Democratic party been successful, the genius of impartial history would have written on the tombstone of the present generation an epitaph of indelible, un fading and endless disgrace—that it preferred the Republic should die rather than endure the sacrifice necessary for it to live.

The men and the party that saved the Government in war can preserve and protect it in peace. The great captain of the age will lead the loyal hosts of the Republic to victory in November next, as he led its armies at Donelson, Vicksburg and Appomattox Court House.

Republicans of the Keystone State, efficient organization secures certain victory. Your party in its infancy saved the territories of the Union from the blight and curse of human bondage, and consecrated them forever to free homes and free men. In its early manhood it has grappled and crushed the most gigantic conspiracy ever formed for the destruction of liberty and free government. Treachery of public servants or apostasy of trusted leaders cannot stay its onward march.

With truth and justice for weapons, and the hearts of the people for a bulwark, if true to yourselves a certain victory awaits you. 'The price of liberty is eternal vigilance.' GALUSHA A. GROW, Chairman State Cen. Rep. Com.

New Advertisements.

Advertisements set up in large type, or out of plain style, will be charged double usual rates. No cuts.

NOTICE.—Sealed proposals will be received, until Monday, June 8th, 1868, by the 'Lower Bridge Company' for the stone-work of their Bridge. Plans and specifications can be seen by calling on the Directors: D. B. MERRILL, A. B. HUNTER, W. W. BETTS, J. BLAKE WALTERS, June 3.] W. D. BIGLER, Directors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Let the Administrator on the estate of Joseph Davis, late of Penn. township, Clearfield county, Pa., do'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly substantiated, for settlement. J. JOSEPH DAVIS, Jr., Adm'r. June 3, 6p. ELISHA DAVIS, Adm'r.

DENTAL PARTNERSHIP.

DR. A. M. HILLS desires to inform his patients and the public generally, that he has associated with him in the practice of Dentistry, S. P. SHAW, D. D. S., who is a graduate of the Philadelphia Dental College, and therefore has the highest attainments of his professional skill. All work done in the office will hold myself personally responsible for being done in the most satisfactory manner and highest order of the profession. An established practice of twenty-two years in this place enables me to speak to my patrons with confidence. Engagements from a distance should be made by letter a few days before the patient designs coming. Clearfield, June 3, 1868-ly.

BOOK AGENTS WANTED to solicit orders for Dr. William Smith's Dictionary of the Bible. The only edition published in America, condensed by Dr. Smith's own hand. In one large Octavo volume, illustrated with over 125 steel and wood engravings. Agents and subscribers see that you get the genuine edition by Dr. Smith. The Springfield Republican says, this edition published by Messrs. Burr & Co., is the genuine thing. The Congressionalist says, whoever wishes to get, in the cheapest form, the best Dictionary of the Bible should buy this. Agents are meeting with unparalleled success. We employ no General Agent, and offer extra inducements to canvassers. Agents will see the advantage of dealing directly with the Publishers. For descriptive circulars with full particulars and terms, address the Publishers, J. B. BURR & CO., Hartford, Conn. [June 3-4t.]

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BLACKSMITH WANTED.

A first class Smith Shop, with large custom, and (if required) a good dwelling house convenient to the shop, are offered for rent by the subscribers. Would prefer to make an engagement with a man possessed of some capital and experience, as such a man could do large business. Curwensville, June 3. E. A. IRVIN & CO.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE: That on the 4th day of May, A. D. 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the Estate of William F. Irwin, of Clearfield Borough, in the county of Clearfield and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by Law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, increased, will be held at the Court House at Phillipsburg, in the county of Centre, at the room of the Register, at the Hotel in said District, before S. E. Woodruff, Esq., Register, on the 1st day of July, 1868, at 10 o'clock A. M. THOS. A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal, Messrs. Curwensville, June 3. E. A. IRVIN & CO.

GREAT WESTERN

Horse Insurance & Detective Company. Incorporated by the Legislature of Illinois, with a Chartered Capital of \$300,000. HOME OFFICE: DECATUR, ILLINOIS. Cash Assets, July 1, 1867, \$171,697 85. This is the only Company that insures against ACCIDENTS NOT RESULTING IN DEATH. J. F. EATON, ACTUARY. Office College Block, North Third Street, Harrisburg, Penn'a. WM. M. M'ULLOUGH, Esq., Agent, Clearfield, Pa. May 27, '68.]

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been examined and passed by me, and remain filed of record in this office for the inspection of heirs, legatees, creditors and all others in any way interested, and will be presented to the next Orphan's Court of Clearfield county, to be held at the Court House, in the Borough of Clearfield, commencing on the 24th Monday of June, 1868. Final account of Samuel P. Wilson, one of the Administrators of the estate of Matthew A. Forsee, deceased. Final account of Joseph W. Lull, Administrator of the estate of Walter Wilson, deceased. Final account of John B. Gorman, Administrator of the estate of Francis L. Gorman, deceased. Final account of Charles Sloan and Cyrus Howe, Administrators of the estate of Jacob Gearhart, deceased. Partial account of Christian Korb, Administrator of the estate of Charles Zilliox, late of Brady township, deceased. The account of Jacob Kuntz, Administrator of the estate of George J. Weaver, late of Brady township, deceased. Final account of James Somerville, surviving Administrator of David Somerville, late of Chest township, do'd. I. G. BARGER, Register. Clearfield, May 27, '68.

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SAW MILL WANTED.

by an experienced Sawyer, to run by the thousand or for a share of the lumber. Any person having a mill to lease, will please address: JOURNAL OFFICE, Clearfield, Pa. May 27, '68-3p.

STRAYED AWAY—on Sunday, May 17th, a dark brindle Cow, with some white streaks over the body, the points of the horns cut off, and about five years old. A liberal reward will be paid for information of her whereabouts. JOHN GURLEIGH, May 27. Clearfield, Pa.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!!!

The Insurance Company of North America, Philadelphia. Capital \$500,000 Co in the United States. Incorporation \$19,000,000 LOSSES PAID IN CASH ASSETS, JANUARY 1, 1868, \$2,001,266 72. Applications received and policies issued, for any length of time, without being subject to assessments, by JOHN H. FULFORD, Agent, Clearfield, Pa. [February 19, 1868-6m.]

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Situate in Clearfield borough, on the South-west corner of Cherry and Third streets, (being Railroad street) to wit: A lot, with a good two-story plank building thereon, 35 by 18 feet, one room on each floor, suitable for a store or other business. Also, the adjoining lot, with a two-story dwelling house thereon, and several other town lots. Also a lot of well-burnt brick, and a good assortment of stone-ware, such as crocks, jugs, jars, fruit cans, etc., at reduced prices. For further particulars apply to the store-ware pottery of F. LEITZINGER, Clearfield, Pa. May 13.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

Valuable Timber Land. In pursuance of an order of the Orphan's Court of Clearfield county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of James Morrison, late of Jordan township, Clearfield county, deceased, will offer at public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Clearfield, on

Tuesday, June 16th, 1868,

the following real estate, late the property of said deceased, viz: A certain tract or piece of land, situate in Jordan township, aforesaid, being a part of a larger tract warranted in the name of David Brown, and described as follows: Beginning at a post at John M'Allister's land, thence by land of Parker Strong North 51 degrees East 106 perches to a Hemlock, thence South 40 degrees East, 160 perches to a White Oak, thence South 51 degrees West 106 perches to a post, thence North 40 degrees West 160 perches to the place of beginning, containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES, and allowance. The improvements on said property are as follows: A Plank Dwelling House, 20 by 25, and a Log Barn. Good water convenient. Also, an orchard of thriving fruit trees. About forty acres of this land is cleared and under cultivation; the balance is timbered with Pine and Hemlock, having about eight hundred thousand feet of White Pine and about the same amount of first-class Hemlock thereon. Whitmore ran passes through the one side of the tract. TERMS OF SALE.—One half in cash, on the confirmation of the sale by the Court, and the other half in one year thereafter with interest to be secured by Bond and Mortgage. May 20, 1868. JOHN L. M'ULLY, Adm'r.

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